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Chicago to the World.

[By Gertie E. Cornish.]

Oh! come ye nations hither,
And gather together all,
Come bring your golden treasures
Into my palace hall.
Ah! Europe you are welcome
With your great and costly store,
With your noble men and talents
From your own dear native shore.
Now plant your homes firmly,
And every one shall know
That proud and haughty Europe
Her finest arts shall show.
Asia, welcome are you here,
With your quaint old gems of art,
Have you brought your nation's emblem?
A true and noble heart.
The colors of your nation,
Tell of your presence here;
Against the blue of heaven
They stand out proud and clear.
Africa has joined us
And now all is complete,
For her beauty and abundance
All are laid here at my feet.
Chicago tends to welcome,
The work and thought of all,
From the children in the school-room,
From the artist in the hall.
The whole world here is gathered
With her talents and her gold,
And the beauty of God's Universe,
Can hardly now be told.
But God hath blessed America,
Her flag so staunch and true,
Hold high their proud and haughty heads
Toward the heaven blue.
And I, Chicago, am the queen,
My heart is light and free,
As I gather up these wonders
That the people all may see.
Quarrels, ah! yes, have oft occurred,
That have been hard to quell,
When nation stormed at nation
With cannon, shot and shell.
But now let joy and peace abide;
Calm as the sleeping sea,
While you greet Chicago as the queen
Of eighteen ninety-three.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Erastus Wiman yesterday made a general assignment to Lawyer David Bennett King, of 44 Pine Street.

VANCOUVER, B.C., May 15.—The body of Stephen White, the engineer killed in the accident at Seabow Bluff, was found this morning by Indians in Fraser River. It was found near Harrison, having been carried by the current fifteen miles. The body will be brought here to-morrow. Search is being made for the body of the brakeman.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Talmage reiterates his statement that he will resign the pastorate of the Brooklyn tabernacle next Sunday unless the \$100,000 indebtedness is cleared off by that time. He says he is tired and worried over his inability to meet this indebtedness. He thinks there are others who would be more successful in raising the money than he.

St. John, May 19.—Hon. Mr. Foster, minister of finance, was banqueted last night by the citizens of St. John. The affair was a success, about 110 persons being present. Hon. Mr. Bowell responded to the toast of "The Governor General" and Foster spoke for an hour in reply to "Our Guests." The Hon. Messrs. Angers and Daly replied for the "Dominion Cabinet," and the "Government of Canada" brought out a speech from Senator Boyd. — Reburns, Josiah Woods and Professor I. Weldon, M. P.

OTTAWA, May 19.—At this evening's meeting of the Ottawa board of trade the question of judicial decentralization is to be discussed. There is not likely to be any difference of opinion as to the propriety of having a judge of the high court of justice visit Ottawa every week for the purpose of disposing of such business as a judge in chambers can deal with. Such a change would prove a great convenience to the Bar of eastern Ontario, and would save time and money to litigants. There is no good reason why the whole judicial business of the province should be centralized in Toronto.

OTTAWA, May, 20.—Sir Charles Tupper, high commissioner for Canada at London, has advised the Minister of Agriculture here that the greatest precautions have been taken to prevent

the mixing of Canadian and American cattle which are now arriving at English ports. The former are to be slaughtered in separate houses, and will be watched from the time they land until they are killed and their lungs examined by veterinary officers. LONDON, May 21.—All the cattle per steamship Numidian have been slaughtered at Liverpool. The lungs of each animal were examined by the veterinary experts appointed for that purpose, and no trace of pleuro pneumonia or any other disease were found.

LONDON, May 20.—The White Star line has given an order to Harland & Wolff, shipbuilders, for the construction of a steamer 800 feet long, which the firm is confident will beat anything afloat. The only difficulty for the gigantic vessel will be shallow water at the Mersey bar, but the White Star company are arranging to have large tenders meet the great steamship further out. The firm are at present hurrying the completion of the Gothic, 500 feet long and 8,000 tons. The Gothic is being built on the new principle as to engines and steering gear. It is expected to equal the speed of the Campania, and the sister steamer, as yet unlaunched, the Lucania. The Gothic will be launched about the end of June.

WINNIPEG, May 19.—To the President:—"An additional grain elevator of 1,500,000 bushels capacity should be built at Fort William during the present year, and another of 800,000 bushels at Winnipeg." That is a recommendation contained in the report of the C.P.R. directors submitted the other day which the people of the Territories generally will be glad to see carried out. As Mr. Van Horne's name is appended to the report, and as the suggestion was no doubt approved by the executive committee, it is probable that a very considerable majority of us will consider the matter as good as settled. "Mr. Van Horne stated to a Winnipeg reporter that should circumstances warrant, the company will proceed with the construction of an accumulating and sorting elevator here this season, with a capacity of 800,000 or 1,000,000 bushels, and have it ready for reception of grain in the fall."

MONTREAL, May 19.—The Empire's Montreal correspondent claims to have learned that there is something more than usual in Van Horne's present annual trip across the continent. He says that he has discovered that Van Horne, Shaughnessy and Petersons and perhaps one or two more of the party will leave the main line for a week or two and make a thorough examination of what is known as the Crow's Nest pass, which according to rumor for many months past, is to be used by the new line which the company is said to contemplate opening through the Rockies. The correspondent adds: "It is understood that, although the C. P. R. officials have had most favorable reports from different surveying parties already sent out, the ever active president wishes to learn from personal observation if everything in that country is about as it has been represented, and it is learned that if the present outlook is favorable, work of construction through the pass in question will be carried on with all possible vigor."

Miss Mary McNeill has been registered to practice in British Columbia, being the first lady doctor in the province.

It is pleasant to note that the London correspondent of the New York Sun considers the opening of the Imperial Institute by the Queen to have been "the finest state show witnessed in London for thirty years, with the exception of the Jubilee celebration in 1887." The crowds are said to have been even more enthusiastic. It was, in fact, the visible sign and token of that close relationship and wider knowledge which has grown up between the Colonies and England during the last decade.

FOR SALE.

A Thoroughbred Durham Bull, four years old in July. Will trade for Cattle. A CORBAN. 10-18-25.

Mr. Editor:—California is a lovely country, the sick get well, the poor get rich, cyclones and frosts are practically unknown. A hundred to three hundred dollars per acre is made each year on fruit with irrigation. The California Land and Water Exchange, of Dayton O., control large quantities of land in California, which they plant, cultivate, pay taxes for ten years, paying you \$40 per acre as your part of the profit, they keeping the balance for the care and cultivation. They give an acre of land away with each 4 certificates. All they ask you to do is to pay for the irrigation, which can be done in small payments each month. They will send you the names of 90 persons who last year received from \$25 to \$500 on one year's investment. President Harrison says, "Half of the good things of California have not been told." The Hon. Jeremiah Rusk says, "Truly California is a poor man's paradise." To five-acre holders the California Land and Water Exchange, of Dayton, O., give a free return ticket to view the property. Why should anyone be poor when such a chance remains open and you do not have to do any labor or work, to get the profits and do not have to leave home. Write them to-day and get full particulars. A CALIFORNIAN.

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